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<TEXT>I do not want to pay more for my telephone service! I strongly urge you to reject a flat fee proposal that would change how contributions are made to the Universal Service Fund. This proposal would make my current service unaffordable. While you may have the funds and ability to consider your phone a luxury, I am not in that same Bourgeoisie class.

Under the flat fee proposal you are considering, people who make few long distance calls would pay the same as people or businesses that make many calls. In other words, low-volume and primarily residential customers would bear the same universal service fund burden as a high-volume residential or business customers. This is unfair!

I use my wireless phone for safety, security and convenience. I don't want to lose these benefits so that big businesses can pay less than their fair share. I urge you to reject the proposal to move the USF collection system to a flat-fee.

Keep the USF Fair!

Sincerely,

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